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H. R. 2752

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 1993

Mr. CARR of Michigan introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Interstate Recycling
5 Promotion Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON SHIPPING WASTE OUTSIDE**
2 **STATES WITHOUT BOTTLE BILLS.**

3 (a) PROHIBITION.—(1) Subtitle D of the Solid Waste
4 Disposal Act (42 U.S.C. 6941 et seq.) is amended by add-
5 ing at the end the following new section:

6 **“SEC. 0411. PROHIBITION ON SHIPMENT OF WASTE OUT-**
7 **SIDE CERTAIN STATES.**

8 “It shall be lawful for any State to exclude from
9 treatment, storage or disposal within its boundaries any
10 quantity of solid waste from any other State which does
11 not have, at a minimum, a substantially equivalent State
12 law promoting or requiring the recycling of any portion
13 of the solid waste products involved. Such laws shall in-
14 clude but not be limited to a law prohibiting the manufac-
15 ture, sale or introduction into commerce of any nonreturn-
16 able beverage container with respect to which no reason-
17 able refundable money deposit is required by consumer.”.

18 (2) The table of contents for such Act is amended
19 by inserting the following after the item relating to section
20 4010:

“Sec. 4011. Regulation on shipment of waste between certain States”.

21 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Section 4011 of the Solid
22 Waste Disposal Act, as added by subsection (a), shall take
23 effect on January 1, 1994.

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